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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: FY 1974 FMS CREDIT - COLOMBIA

REF: BOGOTA 3844

1. IN VIEW OF SITUATION DESCRIBED REFTEL, WE ARE
REALLOCATING CREDIT PREVIOUSLY BEING HELD FOR COLOMBIA
FOR FY 1974. WE WILL ATTEMPT TO GIVE COLOMBIA EARLY
CONSIDERATION FOR FY 1975 CREDIT IF SITUATION WARRANTS
AFTER NEW GOVERNMENT HAS MADE DECISIONS ON MILITARY
PROGRAMS.

2. FYI. COLOMBIA HAS 10.4 MILLION DOLLARS IN UNOBLIGATED
FMS CREDIT FUNDS FROM FY 1972 AND FY 1973. IN VIEW
OF THIS, WE WOULD PREFER THAT GOC WAIT FOR NORMAL
FY 75 CREDIT PROGRAMS TO BE DEVELOPED AFTER FMS
APPROPRIATION IS PASSED. END FYI.

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3. DSAA COMPTROLLER SHOWS APPROXIMATELY 1.5 MILLION

DOLLARS IN OVERDUE PAYMENTS ON PRIOR YEAR CREDITS
AS OF 31 DECEMBER 1973. LETTER TO COLOMBIAN MILITARY
ATTACHE, WASHINGTON, FEBRUARY 20, COPY OF WHICH WAS SENT
TO MILGP COMMANDER BY GENERAL WALLACE (OSD/ISA) HAS
NOT BEEN ANSWERED. REQUEST YOU SEEK TO ASCERTAIN REASON
FOR NON-PAYMENT AND PLANS FOR BRINGING ACCOUNT CURRENT.
NO NEW FMS CREDITS CAN BE APPROVED UNTIL ALL ARREARAGES
ARE PAID. RUSH

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